

St. John's Lutheran School

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APRIL EVENTS

- ♦ April 14-15
LLHS Fine Arts Fair
- ♦ April 16-20
Gr. 8 D.C. Trip
- ♦ April 24, 6:30 P.M.
PTS Mtg., Gr. 1&2
Serve, Fine Arts
Fair Performers
- ♦ April 25, 4:00 P.M.
LLHS Math Meet



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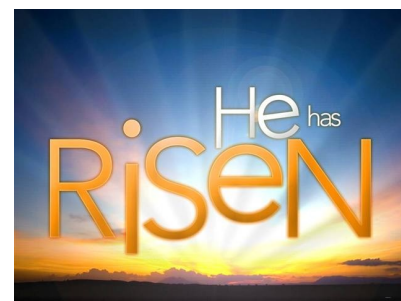
Weekly Schedule

Sat., April 14		Lakeside Lutheran Fine Arts Fair
Sun., April 15	8:00 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Gr. 7&8 Sing)
	9:15 AM	Sunday School & Bible Class
	10:30 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE
	12:00 Noon	Stage Take Down in the School Gym
	4:00 PM	Lakeside Fine Arts Fair Concert
Mon., April 16	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
	8:30 AM	Gr. 8 Leaves for Washington D.C.
	12:05 PM	Hot Lunch: Wendy's
Tues., April 17	3-4:30 PM	Track Practice
Wed., April 18	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
		CHAPEL/MISSION OFFERING
	12:05 PM	Hot Lunch: Dominos
	3-4:00 PM	Gr. 5&6 Math Team Practice
Thurs., April 19	3-4:30 PM	Track Practice
	6:30 PM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE
Fri., April 20		CEF Stamps & Band Practice
	11:00 AM	Gr. 8 Returns from Washington D.C.
	3-4:30 PM	Gr. 5-7 Co-ed Softball Practice

Worship Schedule

I know that my redeemer lives,
and that in the end
He will stand on the earth. (Job 19:25)

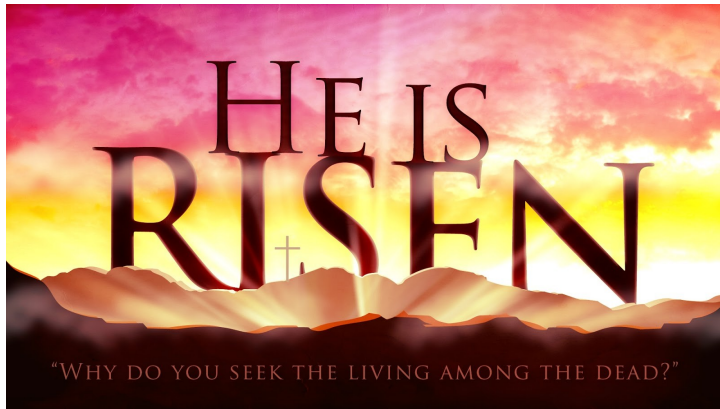
Sunday—8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Bible Class (church basement)— 9:15 A.M.
Sunday School (school)—9:15 A.M.
Youth Bible Class (school)—9:15 A.M.
Thursday—6:30 P.M.



From the Principal's Desk

A Powerful Declaration

[God's Son], who through the Spirit of holiness was declared with power to be the Son of God by His resurrection from the dead: Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans 1:4



If you were asked to identify a "powerful" speech, you might list Dr. Martin Luther King's "I Have a Dream" speech, President Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, Lou Gehrig's "Farewell to Baseball" address, Patrick Henry's "Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death" speech, or many of the other inspiring examples recorded on the pages of history. Powerful speeches are those that have proven to inspire not only the audience

at the time it was given, but also future audiences for many generations. They are powerful declarations given by individuals determined to make a difference.

The most powerful declaration of all, however, is unlikely to show up on anyone's list of most powerful speeches. That is because the most powerful declaration of all was made without a single word. It was made on Easter morning when Jesus rose to life—three days after He died. By His rising from the dead, God declared that you no longer need to fear death, sin, or Satan.

That is significant because each of those make declarations as well. Death declares that you have an expiration date, and that your life will likely end with a whimper and a moan. Sin declares that you are too weak to expect that God could ever love someone like you. Satan declares that you should feel constant guilt over all the ways you have proven to fall short of what God demands.

But all those declarations, though they can scream so loudly and powerfully in our hearts and minds so regularly, were silenced when Jesus came out of the grave on Easter morning. With one inhale of His lungs, He was declared to be more powerful than all our enemies. So listen to His powerful Word which declares that all who believe in Him will live forever in heaven, that all your guilt is erased and your sins are forgiven. Be inspired by the declaration that was made on Easter morning, and let that lead the way in how you live each day.

Prayer: Dear Lord, thank You for the powerful declaration that was made on Easter morning; that Jesus Christ is Lord over all, and that His work truly does silence the shouts of death, sin, and Satan. Amen.

HAPPENINGS AT ST. JOHN'S

Church Singing

Sunday, April 15, 8:00 A.M.: **Gr. 7&8** Sing

Sunday, April 22, 8:00 A.M.: **Gr. 5&6** Sings
10:30 A.M.: **Sunday School** Sings

Mission Offerings

4th Quarter—Ministerial Education

Luther Preparatory School, Watertown

Total collected so far: **\$57.79**

Please remember that our mission offerings for our Lord are collected on Wednesday.

Service Project for Christian Education Month

Thank you to all St. John's families who so graciously donated money or items from the wish list for Camp Phillip! Your generosity is humbling and will be appreciated by campers and staff alike this summer! To God be the glory!

Grade Eight Washington D.C. Trip School Office Hours April 16-20

The eighth graders will travel to Washington D.C. April 16-20. They are to be at school by 8:00 A.M. and will leave after 8:30 A.M. on Monday, April 16th. They will arrive back to school on Friday, April 20th, at approximately 12:00 noon. During this week, Mr. Cody will not be in the office due to the Washington D.C. trip. The phone will be in a classroom during the afternoon school hours Monday-Thursday, but we would like to keep the interruptions to a minimum. Mrs. Leissring will be in the school office mornings Monday-Thursday until 12:45 P.M. and all day on Friday. Please plan accordingly. Thank you.

School Musical—"Big Bad Musical"

Thank you to all who helped in any way to make this year's musical a great success!



HELP!! - Musical Stage Takedown

Help is needed to take down and put the musical stage in the storage shed on Sunday, April 15th, after the second service around noon. Many hands will make light work!

Jump Rope/Hoops for Heart

Total collected for the American Heart Association was:
\$1,998.00



Thank you for donating to this worthwhile cause!

Reminder—Lakeside Fine Arts Fair April 14&15

Music Fine Arts Fair at Lakeside Lutheran High School—**All band and Jr. Choir members are required to attend both days' events.** Individual events, band, and Jr. Choir performances will be held on Saturday, April 14th. On Sunday, April 15th, the band and Jr. Choir members will participate in the concert at 4:00 P.M. held in the south gym at Lakeside. The attire for both days will be the orange shirts, black t-shirts underneath, and black dress pants or skirts. Please refrain from black jeans, yoga pants, spandex, or leggings. Leggings may be worn under a black skirt.

The orange shirts were handed out today. You are responsible for the shirts for the weekend. The children may wear the shirts to and from Lakeside for both Saturday and Sunday. You may wash them Saturday night if needed. (Wash separately and hang to dry.) Please return your child's **clean, washed shirt** directly to Mrs. Leissring in the school office by Wednesday, April 18th. Please do not leave them in the office without seeing Mrs. Leissring or a teacher. She needs to keep track of the shirts to make sure they all come back☺ We will need them for the Spring concert. Thank you for your cooperation!

Piano Recital



The piano recital for the students of Mrs. Bonnie Loersch will be held on Tuesday, May 1st, at 6:30 PM. *If you are a student with another piano teacher and would like to participate in the recital, please let Mrs. Leissring or Mr. Cody know by Monday, April 23rd.* Everyone is welcome to attend.

Gr. 6 to LLHS Play

Gr. 6 will travel to Lakeside Lutheran High School on Friday, April 27th, to see "The Nifty Fifties". They will leave St. John's at 8:30 A.M. and be back by 12:30 P.M. The cost for the play and transportation will be shared soon.

Gr. K-4 to Luther Prep Play

Gr. K-4 will travel to Luther Prep on Thursday, April 26th, to see "Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs". They will leave St. John's at 9:00 A.M. and be back by noon. The cost for the play and transportation is \$5.00.

Parent Teacher Society Meeting

Our last PTS meeting of the year is on Tuesday, April 24, at 6:30 PM. Students who performed at the Fine Arts Fair held at Lakeside will entertain. If your child received a first place rating or did really well at the Fine Arts Fair for their performance, he/she is invited to perform at the meeting. Please let Mrs. Leissring know if your child will perform, the instrument they will play, and the title of the music selection by Monday, April 23rd. **Gr. 1&2** parents will serve snacks and beverages at this meeting.

Math Meet



Our math team will travel to Lakeside Lutheran High School on Wednesday, April 25th, for a math meet. We will leave school promptly at 3:00 P.M. Transportation will not be provided. Please carpool with other parents if possible. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Noldan, Mrs. Colantonio, or Mrs. Schultz. Practice times are 3-4:00 P.M. on the following days:

April 18—Gr. 5&6

April 24—All Grades

Go Eagles Mathletes!!

SPRING DATES TO REMEMBER

LLHS Fine Arts Fair: Saturday & Sunday,
April 14-15

Washington DC Trip: April 16-20

LLHS Math Meet: Wednesday, April 25,
4:00 P.M.

Piano Recital: Tuesday, May 1, 6:30 P.M.

Examination: Thursday, May 3, 6:30 P.M.

Gr. 1-4 Track Meet @ Columbus:
Friday, May 4, 12:30 P.M.

Small School Track Meet: Saturday,
May 5, 8:15 A.M. @ Jefferson High School

Confirmation: Sunday, May 6, 10:30 A.M.

Ascension Service @ Zion, Columbus:
Thursday, May 10th, 6:30 P.M.

BLAC Conference Track Meet:
Saturday, May 12, 8:15 A.M.
@ Ft. Atkinson High School

Spring Music Concert: Monday, May 14

Preschool Spring Program:
Tuesday, May 15, 6:00 P.M.

BLAC Conference Softball Tournament:
Friday, May 18

Awards Banquet: Tuesday, May 22

Civil War Night (Gr. 5): Wednesday, May 23

Graduation Service: Thursday, May 24

School Picnic: Friday, May 25

Walking Bus

Starting Tuesday, April 17th, there will be a "walking bus" to school. If you would like to participate, please meet at the Juneau Public Library at 7:15 A.M. You will walk to school from there. This program is a part of the "Blue Zone Project" that Dodge County is participating in. Adult chaperones will be there to walk with the children. Have your child get some early morning exercise before school. Check it out!



Hot Lunch Orders

Hot lunch orders for May are enclosed in your family envelope. Please note that we will have an additional lunch day in May. Taco Tuesday, May 8th. Please fill them out and return them via your family envelope by Monday, April 16th. Eight graders, please return your lunch orders in before you leave for Washington D.C. Thank you!



School Cleaning

Our next school cleaning day is Saturday, April 28th, starting at 9:00 AM. The following families signed up to clean: Kluz, Krueger, Niemuth, Ockerlander, Preskar, R/J Schaalma, Schmidt, K/J Wolter, & M/K Yuenger. Please bring along buckets and rags. We start at 9:00 A.M. and should be done by noon.



Pick Up Your Sleds

Spring is here! Please pick up your sleds from the front of school starting next week.



Track

Practices have begun. Additional information is included in your family envelope.

April 16-20 Practices: Tuesday & Thursday, 3-4:30 P.M.

Coaches are: Lee Weiss, Ted Fehrman, Ashley Rabehl, & Shannon Schmidt.

Track Meets—8:15 A.M. to approximately 3:00 P.M.

May 5: Track Meet @ Jefferson High School

May 12: Track Meet @ Fort Atkinson, High School

Softball & Track Shirts

For all softball games and track meets, team members are expected to wear their St. John's solid orange t-shirt (not tie dyed & not with any other logos other than the one shown).



Juneau Rec. Dept.

Summer recreation booklets are available in the school office. They are also available at Dodgeland Elementary School, Juneau Public Library, City Hall, and Recreation Department.



ATHLETICS

Softball

Practices will begin on Friday, April 20th. Eighth graders are excused from this practice. Additional information is included in your family envelope.

April 16-20 Practices: Friday, 3-4:30 P.M.

Mathletes should report to Math practices first when practices overlap.

Orange team coaches are: Lee Weiss & Steve Schultz

Black team coaches are: Mr. Cody & Ted Fehrman

May 2: Orange Team Here vs. Zion, Columbus-Black Team @ St. Paul, Lake Mills, Rotary Park

May 8: Black Team Here vs. Holy Trinity, Okauchee

May 11: Orange Team Here vs. St. Paul, Lake Mills

May 15: Black Team @ Holy Trinity, Okauchee

May 16: Both Teams Here vs. St. Paul's, Ixonia 4:00 P.M.—Black and 5:15 P.M.—Orange

May 18: TBD—Both Teams @ BLAC Tournament at Watertown Parks

Softball Gloves/Hats/Visors

Softball players, please remember your glove and hat or visor. All fifth graders were given a hat or visor. Gr. 6-8 students that were in softball last year should have a St. John's hat/visor. If you need a hat replacement, the cost will be \$7.00. Replacement visor cost is \$12.00. Please contact Mrs. Colantonio or Mr. Krebs if you need a replacement.

Church & School Family Campout

The church and school family campout has been set! Details are as follows: Sites and cabins have been held at Lake Arrowhead Campground in Montello, Wisconsin for June 1-3. They are held under "Ron Preskar". The campground's phone number is 920-295-3000. You may also visit their website at www.lakearrowheadcampground.com.

Join us for a great weekend of fun! If you have any questions, call Ron at 920-382-2356.



Reminder—Medication



If your child requires medication to be given at school, a medication permission form is required to be on file at school. All medications including over the counter drugs and cough drops require this permission form. If your child requires over the counter medication, they must have a bottle or package here at school. The medication must be in its original packaging and marked with the student's name. Please give the medication to either Mr. Cody, Mrs. Leissring, or your child's teacher.

According to school policy, no medication is to be kept by the student or kept in their backpack. The medication is kept in the school office with the exception of an inhaler, epi pen, and diabetes medication.

Immunizations

Children who will be in Kindergarten or Gr. 6 will need to have their immunizations updated for the 2018-2019 school year. Children in Kindergarten will need various vaccinations if they have not already had them. Children in sixth grade will need to have a T-dap immunization. Please contact your doctor to get your child's immunizations updated. If you would like to view your child's immunization record at school, please contact Mrs. Leissring in the school office.

Reminder: If you have or will have your child's immunizations updated, please let Mrs. Leissring in the school office know. Your child's immunization record will be updated with this new information.

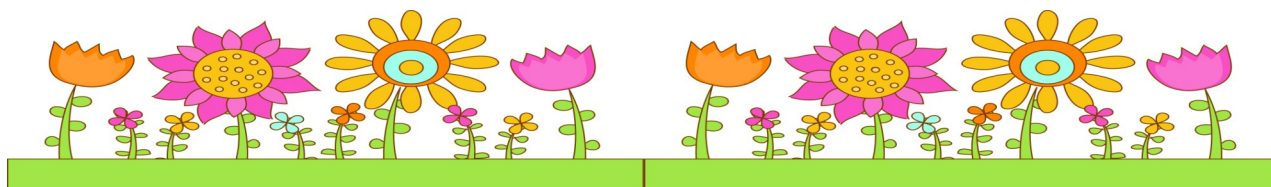
VBS Dates

Vacation Bible School will be held on June 11-14th in the afternoon after Dodgeland's Summer School. Please mark this on your calendar.

*The Son of God became a man to enable
men to become the sons of God.*

C.S. Lewis

HAVE A BLESSED WEEK !



Spring Field Trips

Monday-Friday, April 16-20: Gr. 8 to Washington D.C.

Thursday, April 26: Kindergarten, Gr. K-4 to LPS to see
"Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs"

Friday, April 27: Gr. 6 to LLHS to see "The Nifty Fifties"

Friday, May 4: Gr. 1-4 Track Meet @ Zion, Columbus

Thursday, May 10: Gr. K-2 to Olbrich Gardens, Madison

Gr. 3&4 to Miller Park/Discovery World, Milwaukee

Thursday, May 17: Gr. 5&6 to Cave of the Mounds

Lakeside News

Stuff the Truck

"Stuff the Truck" at Lakeside Lutheran on the Saturday of Fine Arts Fair on Saturday, April 14th. Anyone who will be visiting campus for the grade school music festival or who could be in the area is encouraged to bring household donations including furniture, to the big truck on the corner of the LLHS east parking lot from 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Teens will unload your vehicle, pack the truck, and get it all to Twice Is Nice in Jefferson that day. Donation receipts will be available. Thanks for your generosity as we help keep Twice Is Nice supplied with donations this time of year, and thanks to Thrivent Financial for helping provide the truck! Otherwise, donations can be brought to the door behind the store from 9-4:30 any day the store is open. Questions? Call 920-674-6868 and ask for the day manager. Items that cannot be accepted are TVs, computer monitors and printers, appliances, console pianos, stereos, sewing machines, mattresses, box springs, organs, and paint.



Warrior Forensics "Family and Friends" Night—April 18th

Interested in hearing some excellent public speaking? Our championship Warrior Forensics team is hosting a Family and Friends night on campus on Wednesday, April 18th, 6-8:00 P.M. Our team is preparing for its state meet held the following weekend. Hear several stories, speeches, comedic and dramatic sketches, poetry, radio speaking and more! It's a fab free night of fun!

Lakeside Lutheran High School Drama Presents *The Nifty Fifties*

It was the fifties. Captain Midnight decoder rings and hula hoops. Teenage girls dressed in poodle skirts with bobby socks and saddle shoes. Teenage boys imitating Marlon Brando's black boots and black motorcycle jacket or James Dean's blue jeans and a white t-shirt. Elvis on the Ed Sullivan show. American Bandstand. And, of course, there was a place in every town where kids would gather to have a coke and some fries after school while listening to the jukebox. Our story begins in a place just like that. Your LLHS is staging a vintage 50's musical that will have you cheering! Advance tickets are available online (start at llhs.org/drama) or by calling 800-838-3006. Call or email the LLHS office with questions at 920-648-2321 or office@llhs.org. Friday and Saturday, April 27 & 28, 7:00 P.M. both nights. \$8.00 for reserved floor seating, and \$5.00 for walk-up non-reserved bleacher seating.

Lakeside Lutheran Summer Band Program and Sports Camps

The summer band program is looking for any band student in grades 4-7 to join the Lakeside Lutheran High School band summer program. If you do not play an instrument, color and honor guard members are needed also. Contact Mrs. Leissring for a registration form. Lakeside is also offering summer sports camps. Check out llhs.org/K8sports for online information and downloadable versions of their brochures and registration items.